AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 53, line 22, as follows:

For the undercoat layer, specifically, the silane coupling agent having an ethylenically double-bonded reactive group capable of undergoing addition polymerization as described in JP-A No. 10-282679, the phosphorus compound having an ethylenically double-bonded reactive group as described in JP-A No. 2-304441, and the like can be mentioned favorably. Also preferred is a compound having a polymerizable group such as a methacryl group, an [[aryl]] allyl group and the like, and a support-adherent group such as a sulfonic acid group, a phosphoric acid group, a phosphoric acid ester and the like. Furthermore, a compound having a hydrophilicity-imparting group such as an ethyleneoxy group and the like added to the above compound is also very suitable.